


REMARKS

In response to the Office Action mailed May 20, 2004, claims 1-15 of Group I are hereby elected for examination, without traverse.

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